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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the subject divisional application as of the filing date that is granted to the subject divisional application as follows:

AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 1, line 3, please add the following heading and paragraph:

--Cross Reference to Related Application

This application is a Divisional of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/168,910, now U.S. Patent No. 6,270,759, filed October 8, 1998, the entire contents of which are herein incorporated by reference:-

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-63.

Please add the following new claims:

64. (New) A method of eliciting an immune response against an antigen in a vertebrate subject, the method comprising:

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